विवरण—II

राज्य/संघ शासित प्रदेश	स्मारकों/ स्थलों की संख्या
बिहार	1
दिल्ली	1
दमन और दीव	4
गुजरात	2
हरियाणा	1
हिमाचल प्रदेश	1
कर्नाटक	3
मध्य प्रदेश	4
जम्मू और कश्मीर	1
उड़ीसा	1
पंजाब	1
राजस्थान	1
त्रिपुरा	1
उत्तर प्रदेश	3
सिक्किम	3

Dues charged by Public Schools in Delhi

345. SHRI MIRZA IRSHADBAIG: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the management of Public Schools are charging monthly dues without any proportion in Delhi;

(b) if so, whether Government are also aware of the prevailing dissatisfaction among middle class working categories;

(c) what steps Government propose to take in this regard; and

(d) if not, the reasons for not keeping check on Public Schools?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) to (d) The term 'Public School' is frequently used for high fees charging, unaided and generally English medium schools. The fees in these recognised unaided schools have increased in past some year. This is due to the fact that the unaided schools have to meet the increasing expenses mostly out of the income from fees only. The Director of Education is the competent authority under sub-section (3) of Section 17 of Delhi School Education Act, 1973 to approve enhancement of fees by recognised unaided schools if the same is sought during the academic session. The Delhi Administration is planning to assume powers under the law to provide for prior approval of increase in fees even at the commencement of the academic session.

Foreign Contracts with Railways

346. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of foreign contracts that are on hand with Railways for (i) technical know-how and other services given by Indian Railways, (ii) for supply of materials like coaches, wagons, axles, wheels etc. and (iii) contract for installations of Railway lines etc.;

(b) what is the amounts of contract of above works; and

(c) what is the year-wise figures of works done by Indian Railways during last three years in above areas?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD): (a) None.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

Affect of discontinuance of Bombay-Madras Janata Express

347. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state: